# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, et al.

Plaintiffs,

VS.

Case No. 05CV0329JOE-SAJ

TYSON FOODS, INC., et al.

Defendants.

# GEORGE'S, INC. AND GEORGE'S FARMS, INC.'S SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFF'S FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES

Come now the Defendants George's Inc. and George's Farms, Inc., and for their Supplemental Response to Plaintiff's First Set of Interrogatories in accordance with Rules 26 and 33 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure states as follows, to-wit:

# PRELIMINARY STATEMENTS

- 1. The responses set forth herein are given without prejudice to the separate defendant's right to add, modify, or otherwise change or amend the responses made herein. The information contained in these responses is also subject to correction for omissions and errors.
  - 2. The separate defendant's responses are made without in any manner waiving:

EXHIBIT

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- a. All rights to object to the Interrogatories, the responses, or subject matter thereof, as to the competency, relevancy, materiality, privilege, and admissibility as evidence for any purpose, in any proceeding in, or at the trial of, this or any other action;
- b. The right to object on any ground to the use of these responses, or the subject matter thereof, in any proceeding in, or at the trial of, this or any other action;
- c. The right to object on any ground at any time to Interrogatories or other discovery procedures involving or related to the subject matter of the Interrogatories.
- 3. By responding below, the separate defendant does not imply that it has any documents responsive to any specific request or that any request correctly characterizes or describes any document or documents, or the contents thereof, which may be produced.

#### GENERAL OBJECTIONS

- 1. The separate defendant objects to the Interrogatories to the extent that the time period identified (i.e., 1952 to present) is overly broad and unduly burdensome. Such requests seek information far beyond that which is admissible pursuant to the statute of limitations applicable to Plaintiffs' various claims. Accordingly, such Interrogatories are not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence.
- 2. The separate defendant objects to and does not agree to, nor subject itself to, the arbitrary and extraordinary "definitions" ascribed by the plaintiffs to certain terms as set in their First Set of Interrogatories propounded to the separate defendant. To the extent that such terms appear in the plaintiffs' Interrogatories and are in excess of the requirements of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the separate defendant instead will

ascribe the ordinary, every day and reasonably, commonly understood meanings to such terms, and also will comply with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

- 3. The separate defendant objects to the Interrogatories to the extent that they seek to impose obligations in excess of those required by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.
- 4. The separate defendant also incorporates any additional objections contained in the responses and objections of other defendants to Plaintiffs' Interrogatories.
- 5. These General Objections are applicable to and incorporated in each of the separate defendant's responses as if specifically set forth therein, and all responses are made subject to and without waiving these objections. Stating specific objections to a particular interrogatory or document request does not in any way waive the General Objections.

### RESPONSES TO INTERROGATORIES

#### **INTERROGATORY NO. 1:**

For each of your poultry growing operations in the IRW since 1952, please provide the following information:

- a. name and physical location of the operation;
- b, dates of operation;
- c. type of operation (breeder, broiler, layer, etc.);
- d. number of birds (aggregated annually) at each location; and,
- e. name of the owner and operator.

**RESPONSE TO INTERROGATORY NO. 1:** Subject to the General Objections, and without waiving them, please see attached charts.

With respect to the chart showing aggregate number of birds, George's asserts that it has prepared this chart pursuant to a Court Order mandating such, by electronically searching printed reports from its Laser Vault system which were previously produced to the State in discovery, and aggregating those results into an Excel spreadsheet. George's has no way to determine an error rate or percentage of accuracy, and such accuracy is limited by the accuracy of the reports from which the data came, the accuracy of the search process and the accuracy of the formulas used in Excel to make the calculations. This process was performed by John Delphon at George's.

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Year	Head Started	Head Sold	Lbs Sold
2000 *	10,786,933	10,539,905	49,823,807
2001	19,115,607	18,153,922	89,833,851
2002	19,295,061	18,350,856	86,210,171
2003	20,422,235	19,338,735	91,464,386
2004	22,781,288	21,487,979	101,470,675
2005	25,867,990	24,526,014	111,245,814
2006	26,758,904	25,593,969	117,334,041
2007	26,463,806	25,211,695	115,520,449
* Includes June thru December only			

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Total Head
273,817
857,334
787,145
890,736
754,676
656,378
720,487
639,942

<sup>\*</sup> Includes June thru December only